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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Letter of June 1, 2007 and the Office Action dated August 31, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendment to the specification that begins on page 2 of this paper and the following response that begins on page 6 of this paper. Because this response is being filed within the 30-day time period set by the Examiner, Applicants submit that no fees are due at this time. Applicants respectfully request entry of the response.

An amendment to the claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

A claim listing begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.